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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/541,362

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BASED ON CROSS-LINKED AND NON-CROSS-  
LINKED POLYMERS AND THE USE THEREOF

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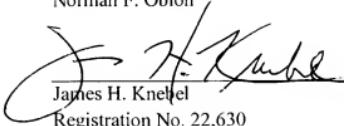
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